GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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INVESTMENTS MADE ON LOCATION OF NEW GAS RESERVES
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have made investments in inspection of reserves of natural gas at various places including coastal areas in the country during the last three years; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise, year-wise?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas(Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar)

(a) National Oil Companies (NOCs)i.e. Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Ltd. (ONGC) and Oil India Ltd.(OIL), as also private/joir venture companies have invested in onland and offshore areas for exploration of hydrocarbons, crude oil and natural gas.

(b) Information is being complied and will be laid on the Table of House.